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6402 Harlan Drive Klamath Falls OR 97603 October 3, 2007

Dear Sir:

I urge you to stay with the Northwest Forest Plan and NOT adopt the Western Oregon Plan Revision (WOPR).

Sustainability is important!!! Sustainability over the rotation, not just for a couple of decades, is important for local communities. But it is also important to maintain all of the flora and fauna of the ecosystem as their well-being is an indicator of our own well-being. Do not take short cuts by not searching for and analyzing the needs of all plants and animals.

Quality water is important for salmon as well as humans. Do not reduce the stream buffers as that will allow more soil to get into the streams and raise the water temperature which is detrimental. You should stay out of areas designated as a community watershed.

You should not be opening up additional "Off Highway Vehicle Emphasis Areas". ORV's create additional erosion and you don't have the manpower to prevent it. Also with Global Warming, we should be encouraging less vehicle use with its emissions - not encouraging more use.

Until some of the younger timber stands have reached old growth appearance, you should be preserving existing old growth stands to support the various wildlife species that are dependent on them.

Sincerely,

Robert Jessen

A professional forester with 40 years of experience.